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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Thursday, 23 December 1993

SECURITY COUNCIL

SECURITY COUNCIL COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION 751 (1992) CONCERNING SOMALIA

10.30 a.m.	7th meeting (closed)	Conference Room 7

SECURITY COUNCIL COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION 748 (1992) CONCERNING THE LIBYAN ARAB JAMAHIRIYA

11 a.m.	33rd meeting (closed)	Conference Room 7

MILITARY STAFF COMMITTEE

11 a.m.	1264th meeting (closed)	Conference Room E

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

5 p.m.	87th PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall

1. United Nations New Agenda for the Development of Africa in the 1990s [24]:

   (a) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/48/334, A/48/336 and Corr.1);

   (b) Note by the Secretary-General transmitting a report by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (A/48/335 and Add.1 and 2);

(c) Draft resolution (A/48/L.24/Rev.2);

(d) Report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/810).

2. Commemoration of the fiftieth anniversary of the United Nations in 1995 [47]:

(a) Draft resolution (A/48/L.51);

(b) Report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/809).

3. Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors: report of the Fifth Committee (Part I) (A/48/752) [120].

4. Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/801) [121].

5. Programme budget for the biennium 1992-1993: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/804 and Corr.1) [122].

6. Improving the financial situation of the United Nations: report of the Fifth Committee (Part I) (A/48/756) [124].

7. Joint Inspection Unit: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/740) [125].

8. Pattern of conferences: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/753) [126].

9. Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/806) [127].

10. United Nations common system: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/737) [128].

11. United Nations pension system: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/738) [129].

12. Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/802) [159].

13. Personnel questions: report of the Fifth Committee (Part I) (A/48/805) [168].

14. Financing of the United Nations peace-keeping forces in the Middle East [130]:

(a) United Nations Disengagement Observer Force: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/812*);

(b) United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/813*).

15. Financing of the United Nations Angola Verification Mission: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/814) [131].

16. Financing of the activities arising from Security Council resolution 687 (1991): report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/815) [132 (a)].

17. Financing of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/816) [133].

18. Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in El Salvador: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/817) [134].

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* To be issued.

19. Financing of the United Nations Transitional Authority in Cambodia: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/818) [135].

20. Financing of the United Nations Protection Force: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/819) [136].

21. Financing of the United Nations Operation in Somalia II: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/820) [137].

22. Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peace-keeping operations: report of the Fifth Committee (Part I) (A/48/807*) and (Part II) (A/48/807/Add.1) [138 (b)].

23. Financing of the United Nations Operation in Mozambique: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/821) [149].

24. Financing of the United Nations Peace-keeping Force in Cyprus: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/822) [160].

25. Financing of the United Nations Observation Mission in Georgia: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/823) [162].

26. Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission Uganda-Rwanda: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/825) [164].

27. Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Haiti: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/826) [165].

28. Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Liberia: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/827) [166].

29. Financing of the United Nations Assistance Mission for Rwanda: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/828) [173].

30. Financing of the United Nations Military Liaison Team in Cambodia: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/829) [174].

31. Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/811) [123].

32. Report of the Economic and Social Council [12]:

    (a) Report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/743);

    (b) Chapters considered directly in plenary meeting [chapters I, V (sections A and B) and IX].

33. Appointment of members of the International Civil Service Commission: report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/697) [17 (f)].

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* To be issued.

OTHER MEETINGS

AFRICAN GROUP: GROUP OF EXPERTS ON ECONOMIC MATTERS

10.30 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 8

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

OTHER MEETINGS

A closed ceremonial meeting of the GROUP OF 77 OF THE WHOLE *(at the ambassadorial level)* to mark the formal turnover of the chairmanship from the Permanent Representative of Colombia, Chairman of the Group of 77 in 1993, to the Permanent Representative of Algeria as Chairman of the Group for 1994, will take place on Friday, 14 January 1994, at 10.30 a.m. in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Tuesday, 21 December 1993

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

86th plenary meeting

Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms: report of the Third Committee (Part III) (A/48/632/Add.2, draft resolution XI) [114 (b)]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of Part III of the report of the Third Committee on sub-item (b) of agenda item 114 in order to take action on draft resolution XI recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 88 of the report A/48/632/Add.2).

The representative of France made a statement on a point of order.

The representative of Australia made a statement in the course of which he submitted an oral amendment to operative paragraph 9 of draft resolution XI.

The Assembly adopted the oral amendment to operative paragraph 9 of draft resolution XI.

The Assembly adopted draft resolution XI as orally amended (resolution 48/163).

The Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of sub-item (b) of agenda item 114.

The Assembly thus concluded its consideration of all the reports of the Third Committee.

Credentials of representatives to the forty-eighth session of the General Assembly: second report of the Credentials Committee (A/48/512/Add.1) [3]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Credentials Committee in paragraph 10 of its second report (A/48/512/Add.1) (resolution 48/13 B).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (b) of agenda item 3 and of agenda item 3 as a whole.

Notification by the Secretary-General under Article 12, paragraph 2, of the Charter of the United Nations: note by the Secretary-General (A/48/411/Add.2) [7]

The General Assembly took note of document A/48/411/Add.2.

Reports of the Second Committee

The Rapporteur of the Second Committee introduced the reports of the Second Committee.

On the proposal by the United States of America under rule 66 of the rules of procedure, the General Assembly decided to discuss the report of the Second Committee on sub-item (i) of agenda item 91 (A/48/717/Add.10).

Development and international economic cooperation: report of the Second Committee (Parts I and XIII) (A/48/717 and Add.12) [91]

The General Assembly considered first Part I of its report (A/48/717).

The Assembly took note of the report of the Secretary-General on the economic stabilization programmes in developing countries (A/48/380) mentioned in paragraph 3 of Part I of the report of the Second Committee.

The Assembly took note of Part I of the report of the Second Committee (A/48/717).

The Assembly then considered Part XIII of its report (A/48/717/Add.12).

The Assembly adopted draft resolutions I, II and III recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 16 of Part XIII of its report (A/48/717/Add.12) (resolutions 48/164, 48/165 and 48/166).

Statements in explanation of vote were made by the representatives of Indonesia (on behalf of the non-aligned countries) and the United States.

Trade and development: report of the Second Committee (Part III) (A/48/717/Add.2) [91 (a)]

The representative of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union) made a statement in explanation of vote.

The Assembly proceeded to vote on the four draft resolutions recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 23 of Part III of its report (A/48/717/Add.2).

	Yes	*No*	*Abstentions*
Draft resolution I (resolution 48/167)		Adopted	
Draft resolution II (recorded vote) (resolution 48/168)	116	32	16

Draft resolution III (resolution 48/169)	Adopted
Draft resolution IV (resolution 48/170)	Adopted

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 24 of Part III of its report (A/48/717/Add.2).

Statements on points of order were made by the representatives of Denmark and Botswana.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (a) of agenda item 91.

Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the 1990s: report of the Second Committee (Part IV) (A/48/717/Add.3) [91 (b)]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 8 of Part IV of its report (A/48/717/Add.3) (resolution 48/171).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (b) of agenda item 91.

Effective mobilization and integration of women in development: report of the Second Committee (Part V) (A/48/717/Add.4) [91 (c)]

The General Assembly took note of the preliminary version of the 1994 Survey on the Role of Women in Development (A/48/70-E/1993/16) and of the report of the Secretary-General on the effective mobilization and integration of women in development (A/48/393) mentioned in paragraph 3 of Part I of the report of the Second Committee (document A/48/717).

The Assembly was informed that no action had been taken under sub-item (c) of agenda item 91.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (c) of agenda item 91.

Economic and technical cooperation among developing countries: report of the Second Committee (Part VI) (A/48/717/Add.5) [91 (d)]

The representative of Spain made a statement on a point of order.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolutions I and II recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 10 of Part VI of its report (A/48/717/Add.5) (resolutions 48/172 and 48/173).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (d) of agenda item 91.

Environment: report of the Second Committee (Part VII) (A/48/717/Add.6) [91 (e)]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 10 of Part VII of its report (A/48/717/Add.6) (resolution 48/174) and the draft decision recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 11 of the same document.

The representative of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union) made a statement in explanation of vote.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (e) of agenda item 91.

Desertification and drought: report of the Second Committee (Part VIII) (A/48/717/Add.7) [91 (f)]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 6 of Part VIII of its report (A/48/717/Add.7) (resolution 48/175).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (f) of agenda item 91.

Human settlement: report of the Second Committee (Part IX) (A/48/717/Add.8) [91 (g)]

The General Assembly adopted draft resolutions I, II and III recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 7 of Part IX of its report (A/48/717/Add.8) (resolutions 48/176, 48/177 and 48/178).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (g) of agenda item 91.

Science and technology for development: report of the Second Committee (Part X) (A/48/717/Add.9) [91 (h)]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 6 of Part X of its report (A/48/717/Add.9) (resolution 48/179).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (h) of agenda item 91.

Entrepreneurship: report of the Second Committee (Part XI) (A/48/717/Add.10) [91 (i)]

In accordance with the decision taken under rule 66 of the rules of procedure, the representative of the United States of America made a statement.

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 6 of Part XI of its report (A/48/717/Add.10) (resolution 48/180).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (i) of agenda item 91.

Integration of the economies in transition into the world economy: report of the Second Committee (Part XII) (A/48/717/Add.11) [91 (j)]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 5 of Part XII of its report (A/48/717/Add.11) (resolution 48/181).

The representative of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union) made a statement in explanation of vote.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of subitem (j) of agenda item 91 and of agenda item 91 as a whole.

External debt crisis and development: report of the Second Committee (A/48/718) [92]

By 164 votes to 1 (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in its report (A/48/718) (resolution 48/182).

Statements in explanation of vote were made by the representatives of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union), the United States and Sweden (on behalf of the Nordic countries).

The representative of Ireland made a statement on a point of order.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 92.

International cooperation for the eradication of poverty in developing countries: report of the Second Committee (A/48/719) [93]

Statements on points of order were made by the representatives of Benin and Spain.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolutions I and II recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 13 of its report (A/48/719) (resolutions 48/183 and 48/184).

The representative of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union) made a statement in explanation of vote.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 93.

Operational activities for development: report of the Second Committee (A/48/720) [94]

The General Assembly adopted draft decisions I and II recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 10 of its report (A/48/720).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 94.

International cooperation for economic growth and development: report of the Second Committee (A/48/721) [95]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 8 of its report (A/48/721) (resolution 48/185).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 95.

International Conference on Population and Development: report of the Second Committee (A/48/722) [96]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 10 of its report (A/48/722) (resolution 48/186) and the draft decision recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 11 of the same document.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 96.

International Conference on the financing of development: report of the Second Committee (A/48/723) [97]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 9 of its report (A/48/723) (resolution 48/187).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 97.

International Decade for Natural Disaster Reduction [98]:

(a) Report of the Second Committee (A/48/724);

(b) Report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/793)

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 10 of its report (A/48/724) (resolution 48/188).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 98.

Implementation of decisions and recommendations of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development: report of the Second Committee (A/48/725) [99]

The General Assembly adopted draft resolutions I to VI recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 29 of its report (A/48/725) (resolutions 48/189, 48/190, 48/191, 48/192, 48/193 and 48/194) and the draft decision recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 30 of the same document.

Statements in explanation of vote were made by the representatives of Tunisia and Canada.

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 3208 (XXIX) of 11 October 1974, the observer for the European Economic Community made a statement.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 99.

Special programmes of economic assistance: report of the Second Committee (A/48/726) [100]

The General Assembly adopted draft resolutions I to VII recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 36 of its report (A/48/726) (resolutions 48/195, 48/196, 48/197, 48/198, 48/199, 48/200, 48/201) and the draft decision recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 37 of the same document.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 100.

International assistance for the economic rehabilitation of Angola: report of the Second Committee (A/48/727) [101]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 9 of its report (A/48/727) (resolution 48/202).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 101.

Assistance for the reconstruction and development of El Salvador: report of the Second Committee (A/48/728) [102]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 8 of its report (A/48/728) (resolution 48/203).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 102.

International cooperation and assistance to alleviate the consequences of war in Croatia and to facilitate its recovery: report of the Second Committee (A/48/729) [103]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 8 of its report (A/48/729) (resolution 48/204).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 103.

Human resources development: report of the Second Committee (A/48/730) [104]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 10 of its report (A/48/730) (resolution 48/205).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 104.

Strengthening of international cooperation and coordination of efforts to study, mitigate and minimize the consequences of the Chernobyl disaster: report of the Second Committee (A/48/731) [105]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 8 of its report (A/48/731) (resolution 48/206).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 105.

Training and research: United Nations Institute for Training and Research [106]:

(a) Report of the Second Committee (A/48/732);

(b) Report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/794).

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 11 of its report (A/48/732) (resolution 48/207).

The representative of Nigeria made a statement in explanation of vote.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 106.

Emergency international assistance for peace, normalcy and reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan: report of the Second Committee (A/48/716) [41]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 11 of its report (A/48/716) (resolution 48/208).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 41.

United Nations interim offices [154]:

(a) Report of the Second Committee (A/48/733);

(b) Report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/792)

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 11 of its report (A/48/733) (resolution 48/209) and the draft decision recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 12 of the same document.

The representative of Kazakhstan made a statement in explanation of vote.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 154.

Economic assistance to States affected by the implementation of the Security Council resolutions imposing sanctions against the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Serbia and Montenegro): report of the second Committee (A/48/734) [169]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 8 of its report (A/48/734) (resolution 48/210).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 169.

Emergency assistance for the socio-economic rehabilitation of Rwanda: report of the Second Committee (A/48/735) [171]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 6 of its report (A/48/735) (resolution 48/211).

The representative of Rwanda made a statement.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 171.

Report of the Economic and Social Council [12]:

(a) Report of the Second Committee (Parts I and II) (A/48/715 and Add.1);

(b) Report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/791).

The representative of the United States made a statement in explanation of vote before the vote.

The General Assembly considered first Part I of the report of the Second Committee (A/48/715).

The Assembly proceeded to vote on the two draft resolutions recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 16 of Part I of its report (A/48/715).

	Yes	*No*	*Abstentions*
Draft resolution I (recorded vote) (resolution 48/212)	143	3	13
Draft resolution II (resolution 48/213)		Adopted	

The Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 17 of Part I of its report (A/148/715).

The Assembly then proceeded to consider Part II of the report of the Second Committee (A/48/715/Add.1).

The Assembly adopted draft decisions I to V recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 22 of Part II of its report (A/48/715/Add.1).

Statements in explanation of vote after the vote were made by the representatives of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union), the United States, Israel and Canada.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of Parts I and II of the report of the Second Committee on agenda item 12.

The Assembly thus concluded its consideration of all the reports of the Second Committee.

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Corrigendum to the summary of the 85th plenary meeting of the General Assembly (see *Journal* No .1993/246, p.14): under agenda item 35: (a) Resolution 48/158B was adopted by 107 votes in favour and not 102; (b) The following paragraph should be inserted after the sixth paragraph:

> With regard to draft resolution A/48/L.45, the Assembly was informed that the co-sponsors of the draft resolution had agreed not to press for a vote on the draft resolution.

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE — 45th meeting

Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peace-keeping operations [138]

Support account for peace-keeping operations

The representative of Portugal in her capacity as Vice-Chairman of the Committee introduced draft resolution A/C.5/48/L.32.

The representative of Cameroon and the Controller spoke on a point of clarification.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.5/48/L.32 without a vote.

Statements in explanation of position were made by the representatives of Cameroon, Canada and Belgium.

The Committee then heard a statement by the Under-Secretary General for the Department of Administration and Management.

Open-ended working group of the Fifth Committee established pursuant to General Assembly resolution 47/218

The representative of Bangladesh in his capacity as Rapporteur of the Committee introduced draft decision A/C.5/48/L.12.

The Committee adopted draft decision A/C.5/48/L.12 without a vote.

Statements in explanation of position were made by the representatives of Madagascar, the United Kingdom, the United States, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Ukraine.

Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations [127]

The representative of Barbados introduced draft decision A/C.5/48/L.11 and draft resolution A/C.5/48/L.13, and statements were made by the representatives of Germany, Republic of Korea and China.

The Committee adopted draft decision A/C.5/48/L.11 without a vote.

Statements in explanation of position were made by the representatives of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union), Cuba and the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.5/48/L.13 without a vote.

Statements in explanation of position were made by the representatives of Belgium, Japan, Latvia, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Canada, Kazakhstan, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya and the Russian Federation.

The Committee thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 127.

Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995 [123]

Programme budget implications of draft resolution A/48/L.24/Rev.1 on agenda item 24 (United Nations New Agenda for the Development of Africa in 1990's)

The Chairman of the Advisory Committee presented orally the report on this matter.

The Committee decided, without a vote, to inform the General Assembly that, should it adopt draft resolution A/48/L.24/Rev.1, an additional appropriation of $152,500 would be required under section 8 of the programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995 subject to the guidelines for the use of the contingency fund in accordance with the provisions of resolution 42/211.

Programme budget implications of draft resolution A/48/L.51 on agenda item 47 (Commemoration of the fiftieth anniversary of the United Nations in 1995)

The Chairman of the Advisory Committee presented orally the report of the Committee. Statements were made by the representatives of Cuba, Morocco, Cameroon, Australia, Cuba, Burkina Faso and Tunisia.

The Chairman of the Advisory Committee and the Controller replied to questions.

The Committee decided to inform the General Assembly that should it adopt draft resolution A/48/L.51, no additional appropriation would be required under the programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995.

International Computing Centre: 1994-1995 budget estimates

The Chairman of the Advisory Committee presented orally the report of that committee.

The Director of the Budget replied to a question posed by the representative of Canada.

The Committee decided without a vote to recommend that the Assembly approve the budget estimates of the International Computing Centre for 1994-1995, amounting to $25,099,000.

United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research

The Chairman of the Advisory Committee presented orally the Committee's report.

The Committee decided, without a vote, to recommend that the General Assembly approve a subvention of $220,000 for 1994 to the United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research. No additional appropriation would be required under the programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995.

Draft resolution A/C.5/48/L.34 and draft decision A/C.5/48/L.36.

The representative of Argentina in his capacity as Vice-Chairman of the Committee introduced and orally revised draft resolution A/C.5/48/L.34 and draft decision A/C.5/48/L.36.

The Committee adopted without a vote draft resolution A/C.5/48/L.34 as orally revised.

Statements in explanation of position were made by the representatives of Cuba, Colombia, Sweden (on behalf of the Nordic countries), Austria, Canada, Cameroon, Kenya and Sri Lanka.

The Committee then adopted, without a vote draft decision A/C.5/48/L.36 as orally revised.

The Committee then approved in first reading , without a vote an amount of $2,560,039,100 under the expenditures sections of the programme budget 1994-1995, as well as $409,179,600 under income section 1, $59,258,800 under income section 2 and $6,778,700 under income section 3.

Unforeseen and extraordinary expenses for the biennium 1994-1995

The Chairman of the Advisory Committee presented orally the report of that Committee.

The Committee adopted, without a vote, the draft resolution contained in the annex to document A/C.5/48/52.

The contingency fund: consolidated statement of programme budget implications and revised estimates

The Chairman of the Advisory Committee presented orally the Committee's report and announced corrections regarding the report of the Secretary-General in A/C.5/48/63. The representative of Canada made a statement.

The Committee approved, without a vote, the additional appropriations, as orally revised, of $3,955,900 under relevant sections of the budget as indicated in para. 2 of A/C.5/48/63. A balance of $16,440,100 would remain in the contingency fund.

Organization of Work

The representative of Japan made a statement on the agenda items relating to the financing of peace-keeping operations. The Chairman made a statement.

Wednesday, 22 December 1993

SECURITY COUNCIL

3325th meeting

The situation in Georgia

Letter dated 16 December 1993 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/26901)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Georgia, at his request, to participate in the discussion of the item without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution contained in document S/26909, which had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard a statement by the representative of Georgia.

The Council then proceeded to the vote on the draft resolution (S/26909).

Decision: The draft resolution (S/26909) received 15 votes and was adopted unanimously as resolution 892 (1993).

Following the vote, statements were made by the representatives of France, the Russian Federation, the United Kingdom, Hungary, the United States, Brazil, Japan and Spain.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE 46th meeting

Note: The summary of the 46th meeting of the Fifth Committee will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 1993/249).

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC.

[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]

International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations on 16 December 1966

Accession: Malawi (22 December 1993)*

International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations on 16 December 1966

Accession: Malawi (22 December 1993)*

Protocol to the Convention on the Contract for the International Carriage of Goods by Road (CMR), concluded at Geneva on 5 July 1978

Accession: Estonia (17 December 1993)*

International Cocoa Agreement, 1993, concluded at Geneva on 16 July 1993

Provisional application: Gabon (21 December 1993)*

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